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In the Supreme Court of the United States,

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ALBERT J. ADAMS,
Plaintiff-in-Error,

against

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
Defendant-in-Error.

No. 504.

Memorandum Concurring in Motion to Advance.

The defendant-in-error, while taking issue with the contention of the plaintiff-in-error that any Federal questions are involved in this appeal, concurs in the motion to advance this cause, and respectfully urges that it be set down for a hearing at the earliest day consistent with the convenience of the Court, on the following grounds, namely:

That the statute under which the plaintiff-in-error was convicted is an important enactment conceived for the purpose of suppressing what is universally realized to be one of the most insidious classes of petty gambling; that many prosecu-

tions under this statute are now pending, and that prosecutions under it are constantly being initiated, and that it is therefore a matter of great public importance that all doubts as to the constitutionality of the statutes shall be set at rest.

Respectfully submitted,
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